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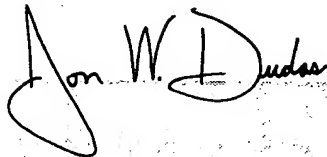
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Column 26

*After Line 26 and before Line 27:* please add --measuring constantly the electromotive force corresponding to a difference between an amount of oxygen produced by said decomposition of said predetermined gas component and an amount of oxygen contained in a reference gas;--

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D".

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